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HARRIS'S TRIAL. Prof. J. D. Harris, principal of Warrenton High School, took the stand in his own defense late yesterday, and told the jury before which he is on trial for his life why he shot and fatally wounded W. A. Thompson, editor of the Warren-

ton Virginia on April 24 last.

Daring the two hours he was under examination Harris remained calm, and the prosecution was unable to con-fuse him. He said that he tried to avoid the encounter with Thompson which resulted in the tragedy. When however they met and Thompson attacked him he drew his revolver in self-defense, but deliberately fired into the ground from a kneeling position, into which he had been forced by Thompson's blows.

He said he fired merely to frighten Thompson into ceasing the assault upon It was while he was rising from him. his knees, he said, that he fired the shot which insdvertently took effect in Thompson's abdomed and resulted in his death 24 hours later. He said that be had no intention of killing Thomp-

He recited the events leading up to the shooting. He said Thompson had besped insult after insult upon him for months preceding, because of a dispute they had over a bill. The witness was subjected to a volley of questions, but he lanswered them all clearly, and appeared confident when he stepped from the

When court reconvened yesterdsy afternoon, M. W. Strother, who was an eyewitness to the shooting, was placed on the stand. He said that while walking on the street with Prof. Harris they were overlaken by Thompson, who ut-tered an oath, apparently at Harris, whereupon the latter stepped into the street and called to Irwin Maxheimer, who was near by, to take Thompson away, as he didn't want to have any trouble with the editor.

Thompson, the witness added, stepped forward quickly before Maxheimer could interfere and struck Harris in the face, bringing him to his knees. Maxheimer then interposed, and Strother saw two shots fired toward the ground. Harris moved around, apparently with an effort, and brought his revolver against Thompson's body. Strother testified to seeing a flash and hearing a muffled report. He left the scene and did not hear the fourth shot.

Strother's testimony was so much at variance with what the state expected to prove that Commonwealth's Attorney Keith asked the court to be given the privilege of regarding Strother as an adverse witness and to be later cross-ex-

A contract for some printing which Professor Harris awarded to the Warren-ton Virginian of which Thompson was business manager, and which was subsequently taken away from Thompson and given to a business rival, laid the foundation for the trouble between the two men, which finally culminated in the killing of Thompson.

DER.

Mrs. Helen Fauling, widow of W. N. Fauling, jr., alleged to have been slain by Charles Gordon, gave startling testisony yesterday at the trial of Gordon, Hinesville, Ga. On the witness stand as she swore that Gordon had confe-sed to her that he had killed Fauling. She ad-Is the quality sort that appeals to those who are particularly discriminating as to the merits of the butter they buy. It's pure, sweet and appetizing, and is made under the most perfect sanitary conditions. IT HAS A REPUTATION. For years MIDLAND BUITER has been recognized as the best that comes to Alexandria. We solicit your butter trade. call phone or write. mitted that she had been intimate with Gordon for three years. Fauling's body was found partially buried in a field many days after he was alsin. Mrs. Fauling said:

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he told me where he had buried the body, and told me to keep a lookout and to tell him if anybody was talking about it. Gordon told me Tuesday night that if I told any one he would kill me within the next 24 hours. That Vernon and Howell was the reason for my silence, Since he has been in jail he has written me a letter, trying to concoct a scheme to prove an alibi for him. I am confess-ing because I don't want to go to beaven, or hell, with a lie on my lips,"

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As a result of a revolting ceremony, the feature of which was the frenzied dancing of men and women before an open-air sliar whereon the nude body of a dead girl had been exposed for four days and nights, the Los Angeles, Cal., authorities have been asked to expel the members of a Russian sect which is said to combine all the ofjectionable practices of the Doukhouers. and other fanatical emotionalists. The ceremony complained of ended Tuesday night after the protests had become so Washington D. C. hight after the protect that the members of the sect felt impelled to inter the body of the gir!, which had become black with long ALEXANDRIA - VA exposure. In reply to complaints of the neighbors, the Bussians explained that the weird ceremony, with its abriebs boulded and the second of the second o JOHN D. NORMOYLE Cor. King and Royal Sts.

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